ABSTRACT OF THE DISCLOSURE

A method for measuring the plasticity of materials such as ceramic raw materials and masses. A weight acts on a sample body and a path signal that reproduces the deformation of the sample body is measured. During the deformation process, the time progression of a reaction force applied by the sample body is measured. Path and force measurement values are passed to a computer for processing and evaluation. Devices for measuring the plasticity of a material according to the method are also disclosed.